



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Rong Xiang et al. )  
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 Application No. 10/807,897 )  
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 Filed: March 24, 2004 ) Group Art Unit: 1632  
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 For: DNA VACCINES AGAINST TUMOR )  
 GROWTH AND METHODS OF USE )  
 THEREOF )  
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 Examiner: Wu-Cheng Winston Shen, Ph.D. ) Attorney Docket No. TSRI-874.1

**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a) AND §1.17(a)(3)**

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 Commissioner for Patents  
 P. O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

A three-month extension of time for response to the Office Action dated July 6, 2007, is respectfully requested.

The following documents are submitted herewith:

- (A) Request for Continued Examination (RCE);
- (B) A check in the amount of \$810.00 for the RCE fee;
- (C) A check in the amount of \$1050.00 for the petition fee; and
- (D) Return Addressed Stamped Postcard.

Please charge any additional fees concerning this matter or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 15-0508.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 20 December 2007 By

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